

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH

ABSTRACT

Vamsadhara Water Disputes Tribunal (VWDT)-Legal Team-Fixation of fee structure of 1) Sri Shetty Udaya Kumar Sagar, Special Counsel 2) Sri T.N. Rao, Advocate and 3) Sri M. Subrahmanyam, Advocate, Hyderabad who were appointed to represent the State of Andhra Pradesh before VWDT along with other Advocates-Sanctioned-Orders-Issued.

IRRIGATION & CAD(PW.IS) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 545

dt.26-09-2012

Read the following:-

- Ref:-1) G.O.Rt.No.434 I&CAD(PW.IS)Dept. Dt.6-7-2010.
2) G.O.Rt.No.456 I&CAD(PW.IS)Dept. Dt.13-7-2010.
3) G.O.Rt.No. 653 I&CAD(PW.IS)Dept. Dt.1-10-2010.
4) From the CE,ISWR,Hyd.Lr.No.CE/ IS&WR/ DD (Addl.)/ VWDT/ 101/2010 Dt.29-11-2011.

ORDER

In the reference 4th read above, the Chief Engineer, ISWR, Hyderabad has requested to sanction fee structure along with Terms and conditions to the following Advocates in the old Legal Team of VWDT appointed vide G.O.1st to 3rd read above.

- i) Sri Shetty Udaya Kumar Sagar, Spl.Counsel,New Delhi.
- ii) Sri T.N. Rao, Advocate, New Delhi.
- iii) Sri M.Subrahmanyam, Advocate, Hyderabad.

2. In the circumstances reported by the Chief Engineer, ISWR, Hyderabad in the reference 4th read above, Government after careful examination of the matter hereby accord permission to the Chief Engineer, ISWR, Hyderabad to sanction the following fee structure along with Terms and conditions.

(1) Fee structure of Sri Shetty Udaya Kumar Sagar, Spl.Counsel, New Delhi :

(Attended VWDT work from 20.08.2010 to 02-10-2011)

| Sl. No | Particulars | Amount |
|--------|--|------------------------------|
| 1 | Retainer Fee | Rs.15,000/- per month |
| 2 | Day Fee (in New Delhi) having a minimum working period of 3-hours, for study, preparation, conference, working consultation etc, including all other activities of legal counsel not specified particularly | Rs.7,500/- per day |
| 3. | Out-station Sitzings (other than New Delhi) (having a minimum working period of 3 hours) | Rs.30,000/- per day |
| 4 | Appearance Fee before the tribunal and Supreme Court (includes Sitzings, Conferences etc. conducted either prior to or after the appearance before Tribunal or Supreme Court on that day) | Rs.30,000/- per day |
| 5 | Site Inspection | Rs.30,000/-per day |
| 6 | Secretarial Charges , including Conveyance, Stationery, Telephone Bills, Stenographer, Clerkage etc. | Rs.15,000/- per month |

2) Fee Structure of Sri T.N. Rao, Advocate, New Delhi.

(Attended VWDT work as A-O-R from 20.08.2010 to 25.10.2010
& as Advocate from 26.10.2010 to 02-10-2011)

| Sl. No | Particulars | Amount |
|---------------|--|------------------------------|
| 1 | Retainer Fee | Rs.15,000/- per month |
| 2 | Day Fee (in New Delhi) having a minimum working period of 3-hours, for study, preparation, conference, working consultation etc, including all other activities of legal counsel not specified particularly | Rs.7,500/- per day |
| 3. | Out-station Sitzings (other than New Delhi)(having a minimum working period of 3 hours) | Rs.30,000/- per day |
| 4 | Appearance Fee before the tribunal and Supreme Court (includes Sitzings, Conferences etc. conducted either prior to or after the appearance before Tribunal or Supreme Court on that day) | Rs.30,000/- per day |
| 5 | Site Inspection | Rs.30,000/-per day |
| 6 | Secretarial Charges , including Conveyance, Stationery, Telephone Bills, Stenographer, Clerkage etc. | Rs.15,000/- per month |

(3) Fee Structure of Sri M. Subrahmanyam, Advocate, Hyderabad:

(working on VWDT from 16.06.2010)

| Sl. No | Particulars | Amount |
|---------------|--|------------------------------|
| 1 | Retainer Fee | Rs.15,000/- per month |
| 2 | Day Fee (in Hyderabad) having a minimum working period of 3-hours, for study, preparation, conference, working consultation etc, including all other activities of legal counsel not specified particularly | Rs.7,500/- per day |
| 3. | Out-station Sitzings (other than Hyderabad) (having a minimum working period of 3 hours) | Rs.30,000/- per day |
| 4 | Appearance Fee before the tribunal and Supreme Court(includes Sitzings, Conferences etc. conducted either prior to or after the appearance before Tribunal or Supreme Court on that day) | Rs.30,000/- per day |
| 5 | Site Inspection | Rs.30,000/-per day |
| 6 | Secretarial Charges , including Conveyance, Stationery, Telephone Bills, Stenographer, Clerkage etc. | Rs.15,000/- per month |

GENERAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

- I) i) During **out-station visits**, Traveling , lodging and boarding facilities will be provided including local conveyance in out-stations.
- ii) During **out-station visits** traveling facilities will be provided by **flight in Economy** Class wherever feasible with **prior approval** of the Chief Engineer(IS & WR), Hyderabad and **local conveyance** will be provided at out-stations as per the necessity.
- iii) All out-station sittings & site inspections, Appearances before the VWDT and Supreme Court etc, shall be with prior approval of the Chief Engineer(IS&WR), Hyderabad.
- iv) Local conveyance charges to IS&WR Office, Railway station and Airport etc. shall be borne by the Advocates.
- v) The Retainer fee will be considered for only one Tribunal case, if the Advocate attends more than one Tribunal or Hon'ble Supreme Court on behalf of Government of Andhra Pradesh.
- vi) Secretarial charges on actual engagement of Stenographer and all incidental charges will be considered.
- II) The legal team shall enter summary of the Tribunal work attended in the diary maintained by the Chief Engineer/IS & WR on a regular basis and send report to the Department on the work attended on a monthly basis.
- III) The Coordinator of the legal team shall identify, prioritise, delegate work to the Advocates depending on the progress of the case. The Advocates shall deliver in accordance to the programme laid down by the Co-ordinator.
3. The Expenditure sanctioned above shall be debited to the following head of Account:
- "2700-Major Irrigation,80-General,MH-800-Other Expenditure, GH-11 Normal State Plan,SH-08,Chief Engineer, Inter State Water Resources,Hyderabad,280-Professional Services,281-Pleadings Fees,284-Other Payments".
4. The Chief Engineer, ISWR, Hyderabad is requested to take necessary action accordingly.
5. This order issues with the concurrence of the Finance (W&P) Dept. vide U.O.No.935/F7(A1)/2011-1 Dt.26-3-2011.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

SHAILENDRA KUMAR JOSHI
PRL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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The Chief Engineer, ISWR, Hyderabad
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The Pay and Accounts Officer, Hyderabad.
The Finance (Expr.PW)Dept/ The P.S.to Prl.Secy.to C.M
The P.S.to M(M&MI)/P.S.to Prl.Secy.to Govt(P).
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